





Alaska Medical Care Advisory Committee (MCAC)

Public summary of meeting and agenda review

December 2, 2024, 3:30-5:00pm

MCAC board members, Board Chair Monk, and the State of Alaska Department of Health representatives raised, reviewed, and discussed the following topics in their December meeting.

- 1. New member was introduced. Chair Monk announced her departure from the board, put forth a motion to name new chair and vice chair, effective January 2025.
- 2. Department of Health representatives provided updates.
 - a. Commissioner's Office projects
 - b. Updates to the MCAC to create the Medicaid Advisory Council (MAC) and Beneficiary Advisory Committee (BAC) – Community Entity review via CHCS partnership.
 - c. Division of Behavioral Health
 - d. Division of Public Assistance
 - e. Division of Health Care Services
 - f. Division of Senior and Disability Services
- 3. Public comments
 - a. One public comment describing challenges with Medicaid eligibility.
- 4. Workgroup updates were not given in today's meeting.
- 5. Member Discussion
 - a. Updating forms, by-laws, and templates for the transition to the MAC. Discussion of term length change, and logo options.
 - b. Member provided topics of interest/concern.

Next Meeting: February 3rd, 2024, 3:30-5:00pm

